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In re application of:  
Vahe Adamian            DECISION ON PETITION  
Serial No.: 09/954,809  
Filed: September 18, 2001  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CALIBRATING A  
MULTIPOINT TEST SYSTEM FOR MEASUREMENT OF  
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This is a decision on the petition received on October 3, 2002, to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.F.R. 1.113 in timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed October 22, 2001. Which set a shortened statutory period for reply of two (2) months. Accordingly, this application became abandoned December 26, 2001.

On October 23, 2002, the office received a communication from attorney of record. Enclosed was an acknowledgment that the attorney never received the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed October 22, 2001.

The evidence submitted is sufficient to establish that the petitioners never received the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed October 22, 2001.

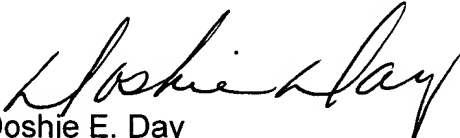
The petition is hereby GRANTED.

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A New Notice to File Missing Parts is enclosed with this Decision setting forth a new response period of two months from the date of the notice.

The office regrets any inconvenience this may have caused the client.

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